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## **Application for Policy Advisory Council**

The Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) invites Bay Area residents to serve on its Policy Advisory Council (see fact sheet for more information). This committee advises MTC — the region's transportation planning and financing agency — on transportation and related policies in the San Francisco Bay Area, incorporating diverse perspectives related to the environment, the economy and social equity. Members will be appointed by the Commission for the term ending in July 2013. Please complete this application and return it to: MTC Public Information Office, 101 Eighth Street, Oakland, CA 94607-4700, Fax: 510.817.5848, or fill out the online application from MTC's Web site at [www.mtc.ca.gov](http://www.mtc.ca.gov). For more information, call MTC Public Information at 510.817.5757.

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Last/First/Middle

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street/Apt./Suite #

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip Code

**Work Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street/Suite #

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip Code

☐ Please check this box if you are retired or not currently employed.

**Telephone** ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Cell

**E-Mail** \_\_\_\_\_

Questions with an asterisk (\*) are required.

### **Ethnic Background (Optional)**

Please select all that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> African American/Black    | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian or Pacific Islander | <input type="checkbox"/> Native American/American Indian/Alaskan Native |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please state): _____                    |

### **Are you over 18 years of age?\***

- ☐ Yes      ☐ No

### **What is your primary mode of travel ...**

#### **For work?\***

- ☐ Automobile
- ☐ Bicycle
- ☐ Carpool/Vanpool
- ☐ Public Transportation
- ☐ Paratransit
- ☐ Pedestrian
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **For other activities?\***

- ☐ Automobile
- ☐ Bicycle
- ☐ Carpool/Vanpool
- ☐ Public Transportation
- ☐ Paratransit
- ☐ Pedestrian
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Membership Categories**

The Policy Advisory Council brings together diverse perspectives relating to the environment, the economy and social equity.

### **Please indicate which vacancy you are applying for:\***

- ☐ At-Large, representing Economy or Environment issues
- ☐ Marin County, representing Disabled, Low-Income/Environmental Justice or Senior issues
- ☐ San Francisco City & County, representing Disabled, Low-Income/Environmental Justice or Senior issues
- ☐ Sonoma County, representing Disabled, Low-Income/Environmental Justice or Senior issues

## Application for Economy or Environment Representative

**Economy:** Please describe your experience and qualifications to represent economic interests. Examples include a professional or academic background in architecture, business, construction, engineering, freight, housing/real estate, labor, land development or planning. *(Use extra paper as necessary.)*

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**Environment:** Please describe your experience and qualifications to represent environmental interests. Examples include a professional or academic background in alternative modes of transportation or environmental issues, or advocacy experience with environmental, public transit, or bicycle and pedestrian issues. *(Use extra paper as necessary.)*

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## Application for Disabled, Low-Income/Environmental Justice, Senior Representative

*People with disabilities and seniors are encouraged to apply. Questions with an asterisk (\*) are required.*

**Please indicate which category you believe you are qualified to represent. Select all that apply.\***

- ☐ Disabled
- ☐ Low-Income/Environmental Justice
- ☐ Senior

**Disabled:** Please describe your qualifications to represent people with disabilities. Include any professional, academic or community experience related to the transportation needs of people with disabilities. *(Use extra paper as necessary.)*

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**Senior:** Please describe your qualifications to represent senior interests. Include any professional, academic or community experience related to the transportation needs of older adults. *(Use extra paper as necessary.)*

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## Application for Disabled, Low-Income/Environmental Justice, Senior Representative (continued)

*People with disabilities and seniors are encouraged to apply.*

**Environmental Justice/Low-Income:** Please describe your experience and qualifications to represent environmental justice interests or low-income communities. Examples include expertise or community experience related to the transportation needs of low-income residents or those residing in historically underserved communities. *(Use extra paper as necessary.)*

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**Please indicate if you have a disability.**  
(Optional)

☐ Yes      ☐ No

**Please indicate if you consider yourself a senior citizen.**  
(Optional)

☐ Yes      ☐ No

## Reasons for Wanting to Serve

*Please type or print responses here. Use extra paper as necessary. Include your name on every page. Questions with an asterisk (\*) are required.*

Why do you want to serve as an advisor to MTC? What would you contribute to the Policy Advisory Council? Please describe any special skills, interests or knowledge of transportation you may have.\*

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Please explain your work (including volunteer work) within the community you wish to represent on the Policy Advisory Council (i.e., senior, disabled, low-income, economy, environment).\*

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**Reasons for Wanting to Serve (continued)**

*Please type or print responses here. Use extra paper as necessary. Include your name on every page. Questions with an asterisk (\*) are required.*

Please list memberships in any associations or organizations. If none, please enter "none" below. \*

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List any leadership positions you have held (such as chair, vice chair, elected board officer, etc.) and in which county. If none, please enter "none" below. \*

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Are you available to meet at MTC offices in Oakland on the second Wednesday of the month from 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.? \*

☐ Yes      ☐ No

Do you have any time constraints or other challenges to serve through the term ending July 2013? \*

☐ Yes      ☐ No

If yes, please describe

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## Employment/Education Background

Please describe your employment and educational background.\* You may attach a copy of your résumé/CV.

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## References

List the names of at least two persons who have known you for two years or more.

Name	Telephone	Business/Organization	Years Known
_____	_____	_____	_____
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## Previous Service

Have you served on an MTC Advisory Committee in the past? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
If yes, please indicate which committee and your years of service.

<input type="checkbox"/> Minority Citizens Advisory Committee	Years of Service _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Elderly and Disabled Advisory Committee	Years of Service _____
<input type="checkbox"/> MTC Advisory Council (prior to April 2010)	Years of Service _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Policy Advisory Council (after March 2010)	Years of Service _____

## Signature

I certify that the foregoing statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date